

## INGALLS FAVORS

PUTTING AN END TO THE FORM OF GAMBLING INSURANCE.

Says We Must Wipe Out This System of Deferred Payments Which Create a Large Surplus.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 19.—M. E. Ingalls, former president of the Big Four railroad and a former director of the Equitable Insurance society, says:

"My predictions have been like holy writ in this instance. I begged both Hyde and Alexander to get out of the Equitable months and months ago and save the company from the disgrace of these disclosures. The investigation had only been on a few days when I plainly saw how things must terminate.

"The Frick report sounded the knell of the old regime. Now what we should do is to secure the enactment of laws which would put an end to this form of gambling insurance. I can call it by no more polite name. We must wipe out this system of deferred payments which create a large surplus. The line between a mutual insurance company and an insurance company run for the benefit of stockholders should be clearly defined by law and the law enforced. An insurance company should not be allowed to work the pious fraud of running its affairs ostensibly for the policyholders and then twisting the business around to the advantage of the stockholders."

"What do you think of the contributions of hundreds of thousands to political purposes?" was asked.

"That is a matter which I don't think should be discussed while the public is overheated. It is a question of ethics."

## MRS. ROGERS

MAY YET HAVE TO PAY THE DEATH PENALTY

Preparations Are Being Made to Carry Out the Sentence Unless the Supreme Court Saves Her.

Rutland, Vt., Nov. 19.—From every indication it will appear as if the state officials felt positive that Mrs. Mary Rogers, the condemned murderer at Windsor prison would have to pay the penalty of the murder of her husband on December 8.

Sheriff H. H. Peck, who will have charge of the execution of the woman has written his deputies, who have been selected to report promptly for duty and that they will be expected to assist in carrying out the sentence at that time, unless the supreme court of the United States should take favorable action upon the appeal now pending.

## OPENED SWITCHES

LAKE SHORE FLYER NARROWLY ESCAPED WRECK

Supposed Insane Man Arrested at Youngstown for Attempt to Wreck Fast Train.

Youngstown, O., Nov. 19.—Just in time to prevent another open switch wreck, Detective Lynch of the Lake Shore railroad discovered a man who gives his name as Charles Murphy, of Pittsburg, throwing switches on the main line tracks of the Lake Shore this morning.

Lynch threw the switches back into place and had scarcely done so when the Buffalo and Pittsburg flyer, due here at 10:35, thundered past. Murphy was arrested after a desperate fight. He is undoubtedly insane.

## FOOTBALL PLAYER

Probably Fatally Injured During a Game Sunday.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Harold Sanders, 20 years old, was probably fatally injured in a football game this afternoon. Sanders was a member of the West Pullmans and was running with the ball when he was tackled. He fell heavily and the opposing side immediately piled upon him. When he was rescued from under the pile of humanity it was found that his left shoulder blade was fractured, three ribs were crushed and he was internally injured.

## TURKEY EXPECTS

Trouble Either by Russia or the Powers and is Acting.

London, Nov. 20.—The Sofia correspondent of the Times states that word has been received there from Constantinople that Turkey is strengthening the fortifications along her boundaries, apparently in preparation for hostile action either by Russia or the powers.

Death of Catherine Markery. Catherine, wife of Samuel Markery, died Sunday morning at 6 o'clock, after a brief illness at the family residence, two miles north of Middlebranch, aged 67 years. Besides the husband she is survived by two sons and four daughters. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 9:30 a. m., from the brick church at Middlebranch.

## MORE KILLED

by Railroads in Chicago in Eleven Months Than in the Whole of England.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—"I believe that more people were killed in Cook county in railroad accidents in the last eleven months than in the whole of England during the same period."

That was the statement of Coroner Hoffman. The coroner reported 321 deaths in railroad accidents in the past eleven months. The total number of inquests held was 3,173.

## TWO MEN KILLED

AND ANOTHER SERIOUSLY INJURED NEAR WARREN

Confusion in Orders Responsible for Collision of Freight Trains on the B. & O.

Warren, O., Nov. 19.—As the result of confusion in orders two freight trains on the B. & O. railroad collided near here today and Fireman Herbert Cook and brakeman Ed. Harrison, both of Painesville, were killed and Engineer Edward Murphy, also of Painesville, badly injured.

One engine was demolished, the other partly destroyed and ten big "boxcar" cars badly damaged.

Operator Irvin Moyer of the Warren Junction office, realized that a collision was inevitable and telephoned to farmers living along the line to flag the trains but was too late to avert the wreck.

## IMPORTANT CHANGES IN MAIL SERVICE

Washington, D. C., Nov. 19.—The most important changes in the organization of the United States mail service were not indicated in the general order which was made public a couple of days ago.

A long talk with Postmaster General Cortelyou brings out the fact that first-class postoffices are to be included in the merit system, and no longer are to be treated as political spoils.

Good postmasters will be retained in office. That is the simple announcement which the public is asked to take literally. No matter if the county chairman is deposed and the rival faction gets the organization. No matter if the editor of the other paper insists that it is now "his turn."

No matter what the congressman and both United States senators say.

Of course that sounds revolutionary. It is a hard dose to swallow. But Cortelyou is not given to talking, and behind Cortelyou is Roosevelt.

The first principle entering into Cortelyou's reorganization scheme is that the heads of the larger postoffices—and that means all above the grade of fourth class—are to have larger powers and a fuller measure of discretion.

Up to this time the postmaster has been seriously hampered by the Washington department. He had to run a tremendous business, and yet could not turn around without asking the consent and approval of some red tape artist in the national capital, even to buying a cuspidor.

Then all postmasters are to be rated in the merit plan. Records of efficiency will be kept in the Washington offices, and every man will have a rating. He will be either excellent, good, fair or poor. Unless he keeps in the first or second class he will not hang on very long.

But where does the senator and the congressman get off?

So far as they have been heard from they profess to be satisfied. Settling postoffice fights is generally conceded to be the bane of the congressman's life. It is very nice to have spoils to distribute; but when there is only one office, and the town is divided into two bitterly hostile camps over who is to get the one job, the congressman stands to lose.

Many a congressman has been defeated for re-election by some pestiferous postoffice fight. Under the new regime he will sit back and smile and pass it all up to the postmaster general.

Of course, the United States senate may get jealous of its sacred "prerogatives." The senate has to "confirm" these appointments. If any senator wants to protect the "perk" he may refuse to confirm a man with an excellent rating, and insist on a henchman with no rating.

There are about 50,000 postoffices which will be affected by the new policy.

## Art Treasures in Churches.

According to a report just issued by the French minister of arts, the churches of France, and not the Louvre, the Luxembourg, the Museum de Cluny and Carvalet, contain the art treasure of the nation.

It is estimated that if brought under the hammer the pictures, tapestries, statues, carvings and other works of art in the churches would realize the fabulous sum of six milliards of francs (\$1,200,000,000).

The little Roman church of Conques, lost in the mountains of Aveyron, is possessed of a treasure which was on view at the exhibition of 1900. It was of such marvelous beauty that a syndicate of art dealers offered for it the sum of 32,000,000 francs (\$6,400,000).

It contains the finest ensembles in the world, reliquaries given by the early kings of France and Roman statues in gold and silver. Fortunately for France, the art syndicate did not buy it.—Jeweler's Weekly.

## FOR A NEW PEN?

SPECULATION OVER OBJECT OF BUYING LAND NEAR JUSTUS

Canton Men Have Options on 1,500 Acres Which May Be Used for State Penitentiary.

Justus, O., Nov. 19.—Great interest is manifested in this vicinity over the taking of options on about fifteen hundred acres of land between here and Beach City. The options have been taken by Jackson Pontius of Canton and he appears to be working for Julius Whiting, Jr., of that city. Whiting has been down and looked over the land with Pontius. At first it was thought that the land was wanted for the Wheeling & Lake Erie railroad but of late it is believed that the land is being secured in anticipation of selling it to the state for some public institution, if the latter, it is believed that it may be for a state penitentiary site. It is known that the state is contemplating the removal of the penitentiary from Columbus and it is believed that if this site is chosen that it will be the purpose of the state to employ the convicts at farm work. The people of this locality are spending much of their time speculating on the purpose for which the land is being optioned.

## Free Pile Cure

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## THROWN FROM CARRIAGE

Miss Goldie Horner, of East Lake Street, Seriously Injured.

Miss Goldie Horner of East Lake street met with a serious accident Sunday afternoon while driving in the vicinity of her home. She had obtained a rig from the Piedmont livery stables and was going for a few friends whom she intended to take out riding. While driving on Lake street, the horse became frightened by an electric car. Miss Horner was not able to handle the horse and he ran between two houses. The surrey struck a post and overturned throwing her out. She was severely bruised about the head and two ribs were broken. Medical aid was rendered by Drs. J. and C. E. Fraunfeiler.

## Mutiny of Russian Prisoners.

Tokio Nov. 20.—The Russian prisoners aboard the three transports in Nagasaki have mutinied. The action of the prisoners was caused by a postponement of their departure for Vladivostok, owing to the recent disturbances there. Particulars are lacking.



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## New Franklin Notes.

New Franklin, Nov. 16.—Frank Unkefer was in Canton last week attending the Bob White trial.

J. W. Martin and family have moved into the John Unkefer house.

Wash Nunemaker is erecting a new building upon his premises, to be used as a cabinet shop.

Mrs. Bankard is on the sick list. Mrs. Catherine Miller of Canton is visiting friends here.

John Mong was elected trustee of Paris township on election day by a handsome majority.

Scott Stinchcomb expects to move, into his new quarters, on the Ake farm, near Canton, in about a week.

Harry Glass and wife are the happy parents of a baby girl.

Sportsmen generally through here are preparing to celebrate the opening of the hunting season.

A baby girl was born last Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cassidy.

A. E. Hawkins is suffering from a severe attack of lumbago.

Mrs. Harsh made a visit to Minerva friends last Sunday.

Adam Thoma is lumbering below Mapleton.

Charles Yeagley, from north of town, was a visitor at the residence of Washington Nunemaker, Sunday.

Alphus Walker has removed to his new house near Oneida.

Mrs. Annie Davis has moved upon her own property, west of town.

The Matz boys are sawing lumber for Homer Sponseller's new house.

Lewis Glass started for Angola, Ind., last Monday, where he expects to attend school.

R. Hayman moved into his new house Monday.

Amos Baecher, of North Dakota, has joined his wife at the residence of Scott Stinchcomb.

Nora Unkefer is in a serious condition from heart trouble.

## Myers Notes.

Myers, Nov. 16.—Miss Lizzie Turner returned home Saturday, after spending several weeks with Mrs. Klopstein at Homeworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Clapper and little son passed Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Clapper, at Robertsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Haines and daughter, Myrtle, were guests with their son, Clarence and wife, at Alliance, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lang passed Sunday with relatives near Minerva.

George Hames left Monday for Burgholtz to resume his duties on the L. E. A. W. railroad.

Ralph Crow, made a business trip to Minerva Monday.

Harmond Werner, of Osnaburg, was a caller at this place Monday.

Miss Mona Turner left Monday for Mechanistown to visit Mrs. Isaac Roach.

Mrs. Jerry Hayman and Mrs. Mary Rish were Minerva callers Tuesday.

William Skelly made a business trip to Minerva Tuesday.

## Canal Fulton Briefs.

Canal Fulton, Nov. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keller of Cleveland were Sunday visitors at the home of A. P. Keller.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Snyder of Cleveland spent Sunday at the home of H. F. Morrow.

Ralf Miller of Barborton is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Miller, and will spend a few days hunting.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shafer, on Tuesday, a son.

Jefferson Leaser of Akron came to town on the early train Wednesday and visited his farm, east of town.

John Hansen, of Akron, the new engineer at the Cereal Mill, moved with his family into the home lately purchased by Logan Porter from the Labbe heirs.

Charles Easley, proprietor of the Easley House, of this place, has sold the hotel to H. Pelton of Cuyahoga Falls. Mr. Pelton was formerly proprietor of the Hurd House of Orrville.

## Hartsville News.

Hartsville, Nov. 15.—Rev. Neff and daughter Grace, spent Saturday in Canton.

Mrs. Pickin of Ravenna, returned home on Thursday after a visit with

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Baugaman.

Miss Anna Ream of Canton spent Sunday with her mother.

Mrs. I. O. Goetz returned on Saturday from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Shanalett, near Garfield.

C. C. Machamer has sold his celery land to Lorenzo Crocker.

F. E. Schumacher went to Cleveland on business Tuesday.

Mrs. C. Noaker of Canton is visiting her sister, Mrs. I. Crocker.

The appearance of the Reformed church has been greatly improved by the addition of a new shingle roof, and a new coat of paint.

Dallas Keller is in Cleveland. Ernest Shoemaker has sold his house and lot on South Prospect street to George Sheethelm.

Postmaster George Kiser has moved into his new building, and will move the postoffice as soon as the rooms can be finished.

Frank Schumacher has bought the cottage formerly occupied by Clarence Sheethelm from J. I. Ebel, and is making arrangements to have it moved to a lot south of Charles Merkel's residence.

L. C. Henderson, the W. & L. E. agent, has moved in to the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. George Kiser.

Mrs. Ream and daughter, Helen, spent Saturday in Canton.

Mrs. Charles Laughlin of Cleveland is visiting the Misses Lighley.

Mrs. Joe Niday and children were among the Canton visitors on Saturday.

The lecture course committee has decided to sell tickets for the remaining four numbers of the course for 80 cents. This includes a lecture by T. Brooks Fletcher on December 9th, an entertainment on January 5th, concert February 6th by the American Jubilee Singers and a lecture March 7th by Mrs. Alice Danner Jones. Tickets can be secured from any of the committee.

The improvement association has announced a millinery social to be held in the Goetz and Keller hall on Saturday night, Nov. 18th. Ice cream and cake, coffee and doughnuts will be served.

## Paris Items.

Paris, Nov. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sponseller and family of Freeburg were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Sheatsley Sunday.

The funeral services of Mrs. James Stier of this place, were held by Rev. M. Hahn, Friday morning. She was 79 years of age, and leaves an aged husband and one daughter, Mrs. Harrison Sanor, of Freeburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ramsayer and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sponseller Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Shearer were Minerva callers Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Loutzenheiser and children spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hewet of Specht.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Motta and children, Howard and Mildred, of Cleveland, spent several days last week with their parents here.

Mrs. P. Simmer of Canton visited her sister, Mrs. C. Seifert, last week.

Miss Lulu Hay of Canton visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Motta, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chenot and Mr. and Mrs. Leyl Wimon gave a fine oyster supper to their friends Saturday evening, at the home of the Chenot brothers. About thirty were present. Various parlor games were indulged in until a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Loutzenheiser and son, of Louisville, spent Sunday at the home of John Foltz.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Smith of Minerva visited friends here Sunday.

John Lentz and family spent Monday at the home of Mrs. P. Lentz of Maximo.

Mrs. T. Sheatsley was a Canton caller one day last week.

Adam Schory and sister of Talpa-hock spent several days last week at the home of Peter Loutzenheiser.

Miss Pearl Hayman was a Minerva caller Tuesday.

Mrs. Maria Sheatsley and Mrs. Celestia Heim visited New Chambers-burg friends one day last week.

## Minerva News.

Minerva, Nov. 18.—Mrs. Dr. Ramsey, of Alliance, and Mrs. T. L. Hemming, of Carrollton, spent Monday here at the home of their sister, Mrs. Monroe Clemens.

Mr. Crumbecker visited over Sunday at the home of Henry Haines on Plain street.

E. D. Zimmerman and wife, of Canton, spent Wednesday at the home of the former's father, William Zimmerman.

Mrs. H. McGhee, of Oneida, spent Wednesday with friends in town.

Mrs. Willard Pernock is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Calderline, in Cincinnati.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haines, Wednesday, November 15, a son.

Mrs. E. M. Hoopes spent Thursday at the home of her son, Charles, in Magnolia.

Rev. A. Zimmerman, of Alliance, was transacting business in town Wednesday.

The little daughter of Dr. George Davis is very sick with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. James Witherspoon, of East Rochester, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Witherspoon, Sunday.

Mrs. John Unkefer was called here from Chillicothe Thursday on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Davis, who resides at the home of Mrs. Sue Unkefer. While Mrs. Davis was badly engaged Wednesday afternoon she suffered a stroke of paralysis which rendered her unconscious and death released her of her suffering at three o'clock Friday evening. The remains will be taken to Wheeling for interment this Saturday morning.

## North Industry Items.

North Industry, Nov. 17.—Mrs. Al. Bair is very ill with rheumatism.

Miss Minnie Wank is recovering from the operation performed by Drs. W. H. and W. A. Beecher of North Industry, and Dr. McConkey of Canton.

J. Arthur Richard and family have moved into the John Zerbe house.

Mr. Leslie and family have moved to Canton.

Harry Shew is filling a position at the pressed brick plant at Belden's.

Harry and Homer Wise, Lewis Bowman and George Winner spent last Sunday evening at Magnolia.

John Winholt had sale on Thursday, selling everything. The farm was sold to William Eckering. Mr. Winholt intends spending the winter in the south.

Ambrose Bair is watchman at the brick yard.

The meeting is still going on at Mt. Zion. There have been a score or more of additions to the church during the three weeks the meeting has been in progress.

The dramatic club gave its first performance on last Friday and Saturday nights. It was a financial success.

Miss Jean Sober, from Canton, spent Sunday with Lucy Bowman.

## East Greenville Briefs.

East Greenville, Nov. 17.—The ladies of the Baptist church will hold a supper and old fashioned tea party at the Baptist church on Saturday evening, Nov. 18.

Frank Shaub has moved his family and household goods from near Sippo to our village, occupying the property belonging to him.

Oren Zupp has moved his household goods from Alliance to our village.

John Hartman and wife of Virginia are visiting friends and acquaintances here.

Mrs. Frank Buer went to Massillon Tuesday.

The truant officer, L. B. Harry, made our village a call on Monday to hunt up those who were absent from the public schools.

Simon Wolgamot is improving the sidewalks by hauling ashes upon them.

Daniel Bushman has gone to Michigan in search of employment.